

GEORGIA BOARD OF ARCHITECTS AND INTERIOR DESIGNERS

Board Meeting: August 20, 2010

The Georgia State Board of Architects and Interior Designers met on Friday, August 20, 2010, at the Professional Licensing Boards Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia, for the purpose of conducting Board business.

The following Board members were present:

Anne K. Smith, President and Architect
E. Camille Puckett, Vice President and Interior Designer
Craig Buckley
Niles Bolton
Ivenue Love-Stanley
David M. G. Maschke
Laurie H. McRae
Jim Mehserle
Andrew Pace

Others present:

Tanja D. Battle, Executive Director
JoAnne Sims, Board Support Specialist
Ruth Reece, Licensure Analyst
Janet Wray, Assistant Attorney General via videoconference
Chuck Miller, Investigations

Chairperson Smith established that a quorum was present at 9:37 a.m. and called the meeting to order.

Rule Adoption

- Rule 50-9-.07

There were no public comments or discussion in relation to New Rule 50-9-.07 Signing and Sealing Documents as Registered Interior Designer.

A motion was made by Camille Puckett, seconded by Ivenue Love-Stanley, and the Board voted unanimously that the formulation and adoption of this rule does not impose excessive regulatory cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the proposed rule cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of O.C.G.A. §§ 43-1-4, 43-4-9 and 43-4-14, 43-4-33 and 43-1-19.

A motion was made by Camille Puckett, seconded by Ivenue Love-Stanley, and the Board voted unanimously that it is not legal or feasible to meet the objectives of O.C.G.A. §§ 43-1-4, 43-4-9 and 43-4-14, 43-4-33 and 43-1-19 to adopt or implement differing actions for businesses as listed at O.C.G.A. §50-13-4(a)(3)(A), (B), (C) and (D). The formulation and adoption of this rule will impact every licensee in the same manner and each licensee is independently licensed, owned and operated and dominant in the field of interior design.

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A motion was made by Laurie McRae, seconded by Ivenue Love-Stanley, and Board voted unanimously to adopt Rule 50-9-.07.

Approval of Minutes

Chairperson Smith called for any changes/revisions to the minutes of the June 18, 2010 full Board meeting and the July 14, 2010 Conference Call. A motion was made by Camille Puckett, seconded by Ivenue Love-Stanley, and the Board voted unanimously to approve the Minutes of the June 18, 2010 full Board Meeting.

In the same motion the Board members present Anne Smith, Camille Puckett, Craig Buckley, Niles Bolton, Ivenue Love-Stanley, Laurie H. McRae, Jim Mehserle and Andrew Pace voted to approve the Minutes of the July 14, 2010 Conference Call as presented. Mr. Maschke abstained from the vote as he was not present at the meeting.

Written Correspondence

Correspondence from Lucinda Barker: The Board reviewed correspondence from Ms. Barker. The Board directed staff to send the appropriate response and refer Ms. Barker to the website of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards, and in particular, the Broadly Experienced Foreign Architect Program for information.

Correspondence from Bowen and Gordon, L.L.C.: Janet Wray stated she had contacted the law firm, and that no additional action was required.

ARE 4.0

An update concerning ARE 4.0 was given by Chairperson Smith. The ARE reverse transition chart was discussed, and members raised questions regarding the rolling clock system. Further discussion ensued. Chairperson Smith stated she will attend another meeting in September, and will provide clarification to Ruth Reece about how the rolling clock rule is applied, and will report back to members at the next meeting.

NCARB

Chairperson Smith attended the NCARB Annual Meeting in July. Following various NCARB position vacancies, Chairperson Smith informed members she had been elected as Vice-Chair of this region. In addition, there are now three members from this region on the National Board.

Chairperson Smith provided members with the following outcomes from the conference:

- There was a good deal of dialogue regarding the 4.0 transition.
- It was decided that monographs for continuing education will be discontinued.
- The IDP is currently going through a transition as the reporting system has moved to a web-base.
- If interns do not submit timesheets within 60 days, the hours are not counted. This action resulted as interns were handing in work hours at the end of a longer (i.e., one year) time period.

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- Chairperson Smith and the Vice-Chair of NCARB will co-chair an educator/regulator conference. There has not been such a conference for many years.

NCIDQ

An update concerning NCIDQ was given by Laurie McRae. A virtual conference/meeting will occur in November, and Laurie McRae will provide a report to members.

Applicants Licensed Since Last Review

The Board reviewed the following list of Registered Architects and Registered Interior Designers licensed or reinstated since the last Board meeting. A motion was made by Ivenue Love-Stanley, seconded by Camille Puckett, and the Board voted unanimously to approve the list.

Registered Interior Designers **Licensed since Last Review**

License #	Name	Issue Date
ID000756	Worthington, William Michael	8/16/2010
ID000757	Herzlich, Bruce Alan	8/16/2010
ID000758	Boyette, Sandra Geyer	8/16/2010
ID000759	Shreiner, Elissa Beth	8/16/2010

Registered Interior Designers **Reinstated Since Last Review**

License #	Name	Issue Date
ID000159	Duffy, Teri B	8/16/2010

Registered Architects **Licensed Since Last Review**

License #	Name	Issue Date	License Method
RA012914	Wells, Jamal Reginald	6/22/2010	Examination
RA012919	Beland, France M	6/28/2010	Examination
RA012926	Trader, Michael Nathaniel	7/5/2010	Examination
RA012952	Toal, Adam Barner	8/6/2010	Examination
RA012913	Kumar, Anish	6/21/2010	Reciprocity
RA012915	Scott, G Stephen	6/23/2010	Reciprocity
RA012916	Pentecost, Aubrey Ray, III	6/24/2010	Reciprocity
RA012917	Reed, Paul William	6/25/2010	Reciprocity
RA012920	Brown, Amy Severn	7/1/2010	Reciprocity
RA012922	Kang, Hyontae	7/1/2010	Reciprocity
RA012923	Tipton, Philip Jay	7/1/2010	Reciprocity
RA012924	Lambe, Timothy A	7/1/2010	Reciprocity
RA012925	Song, Young-Sook	7/1/2010	Reciprocity
RA012927	Shaw, Scott Edward	7/9/2010	Reciprocity

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RA012929	Davis, Matthew J	7/16/2010	Reciprocity
RA012930	Ream, Trevor Scott	7/16/2010	Reciprocity
RA012931	Peters, Lynn M	7/19/2010	Reciprocity
RA012932	Hedgpeth, Warren Joel	7/19/2010	Reciprocity
RA012935	Olson, Charles Dalton	7/26/2010	Reciprocity
RA012936	Maturo, Michael J	7/28/2010	Reciprocity
RA012937	Rudgers, Benjamin A	7/29/2010	Reciprocity
RA012938	Plutowski, Alan J	7/29/2010	Reciprocity
RA012939	Allen, Thomas Archibald	7/29/2010	Reciprocity
RA012940	Phillips, Bradley J	7/29/2010	Reciprocity
RA012941	Dotson, Jennifer Ann	8/3/2010	Reciprocity
RA012942	Bernhardt, Daniel Joseph	8/3/2010	Reciprocity
RA012943	Hager, Julia Christina	8/4/2010	Reciprocity
RA012944	Campbell, Warren A	8/4/2010	Reciprocity
RA012945	Williams, Jeramy A	8/4/2010	Reciprocity
RA012946	Murray, David Anthony	8/4/2010	Reciprocity
RA012947	Graham, David A	8/4/2010	Reciprocity
RA012948	Grubb, Robert W	8/4/2010	Reciprocity
RA012949	Hull, Robert F	8/4/2010	Reciprocity
RA012951	Chamberlin, Kim Allen	8/4/2010	Reciprocity
RA012953	Pitts, Thomas Andrew	8/10/2010	Reciprocity
RA012954	Perdok, Harm Joseph	8/10/2010	Reciprocity
RA012955	Bitterli, Robert Joseph	8/11/2010	Reciprocity
RA012956	Roach, Daniel Shea	8/11/2010	Reciprocity
RA012957	Rioux, Denis J	8/11/2010	Reciprocity
RA012958	Deye, Sylvia Beatrice	8/11/2010	Reciprocity
RA012959	Carnicelli, Mark A	8/11/2010	Reciprocity
RA012960	Boggio, Daniel L	8/13/2010	Reciprocity
RA012961	Jordan, Jeffrey A	8/16/2010	Reciprocity
RA012962	Taylor, John Weston	8/16/2010	Reciprocity
RA012963	Meyer, Adam C	8/16/2010	Reciprocity
RA012964	Wen, Stephen C H	8/17/2010	Reciprocity

Executive Session

A motion was made by David Maschke, seconded by Jim Mehserle, and the Board members present: Bolton, Love-Stanley, Maschke, McRae, Mehserle, Pace, Puckett and Smith, voted unanimously to enter into Executive Session, in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2(k) and O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19(h) for application discussion, investigative matters and to receive the Attorney General's Report.

Vote on Discussions from Executive Session

Open Session was declared by Chairperson Smith.

A motion was made by Jim Mehserle, seconded by Camille Puckett, and the Board voted unanimously to accept the recommendations made during Executive Session.

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The recommendations made during Executive Session are as follows:

Investigations Unit

The Board heard a report on the following cases:

ARCH100017: The Board voted unanimously to refer the case to the Engineering Board.

ARCH080017 and ARCH 070036: The Board noted these are companion cases, and voted to refer both cases to the Cognizant to review the contracts and provide recommendations at a later meeting.

Written Requests

After reviewing correspondence requesting a payment schedule to pay fees, the Board voted unanimously to reduce the following individual's reinstatement fee to \$1,000, plus the \$150 application fee:

Applicant #1246377

After reviewing correspondence requesting a waiver of the reinstatement fee due to the license entering lapsed status, the Board voted unanimously to deny the following request, as it is the applicant's responsibility to keep track of licensure expiration dates:

Applicant# 1004746

After reviewing correspondence requesting a waiver of continuing education hours due to health problems and age, the Board voted unanimously to deny the following request, as a significant amount of time remains in the current registration period to obtain the required hours, some of which may be earned online:

Applicant # 284879

After reviewing correspondence requesting a waiver of the reinstatement fee due to failure to comply with audit requirements, the Board voted unanimously to deny the request, as it is the licensee's responsibility to ensure compliance with audit requirements:

Applicant #1246221

After reviewing correspondence requesting a waiver of reinstatement fees, the Board voted unanimously to reduce the reinstatement fee to \$1,000, plus the \$150 application fee. The Board also voted to inform the applicant that the option to become inactive is available:

Applicant #284695

Board Attorney

There was nothing to report at this time.

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Other Business

Annual Election of Officers:

A motion to nominate Anne Smith to continue her term as President, and to nominate Camille Puckett to continue her term as Vice-President was made by David Maschke, seconded by Ivenue Love-Stanley, and Board members voted unanimously to re-elect the officers as nominated.

Committee Reports

There was nothing to report at this time.

With no other business for the Board to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 12:07 p.m.

Minutes recorded by:

JoAnne R. Sims, Board Support Specialist

Minutes Edited/Reviewed by:

Tanja D. Battle, Executive Director